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SCIOTS-DEMOLAYS COMING FOR SNOW FROLIC

MAIN STREET

By Stanley Bavier

OLD SHIP
By Lillian Bader

Old ship, how sleep you here?
The sullen water, black around your breast,
Goes curling like a serpent to the sea,
And in the reeds where weary wild-fowl rest
The river hums a sodden threnody
Old ship, how sleep you here?

Your hull is black against the velvet night.
Your tall mast rises, crossed by weathered spars.
Your ghostly ropes are swinging, faintly white,
A tracery of cobwebs on the stars.
No more the winds that whip the clouds in space
Shall call forth to ride upon the deep,
And old friends coming on your resting place
Will never break your solitary sleep.

Old ship, rest deeply here.
About your sides the sluggish water's crest
Still bears you up, and still across the sky
The winds come beating up from out the West
To bring you scents and thoughts of days gone by.
Old ship, rest deeply here!

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Ships to me have always had a strange fascination, and I have spent many happy hours on them as a passenger.

For genuine enjoyment, I know of nothing that can compare with sailing over tropical seas, and watching the blue sky and blue water, and the flying fishes play about the bow of the ship. There is a sense of deep contentment experienced upon shipboard, which is never equalled on land. And there is a bond of deep understanding and friendship which develops between shipmates which is never known between people on shore. The reason for this unusual friendship which develops between shipmates has often been discussed, and the answer seems to be on account of the element of danger which shipmates face together. For shipmates know only too well, that if the ship becomes endangered and sinks, all on board must pay the price. There is no discrimination; no favored ones. Hence—we find people confiding to one another on shipboard—who would be most conservative on land. In my own case—I have met people on ships and at the end of six or seven short days, have felt that I have known them all my life.

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To be assigned a seat at the captain's table on board ship, is considered the highest honor which can be bestowed upon a passenger. And the chief dining salon stewart is often faced with a big problem to handle this delicate situation. Especially so, when the captain of the ship is popular and has a large following on a favorite steamship line.

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I remember an experience some years ago on board a ship enroute from New Orleans to New York.

A Southern millionaire and his wife and daughter were on the ship. and because of the fact that they were unknown to either the captain of the ship or the ship's agent at New Orleans, they were not assigned seats at the captain's table.

The millionaire felt deeply insulted to think his wealth and position had not been quickly recognized by the ship's officers, and he confided to me the first day out of New Orleans that he intended to file a vigorous complaint with the officers of the steamship company upon his arrival in New York.

The captain of the ship was a particular friend of mine, and I made haste to tell him of the millionaire's crushed feelings.

The captain and his other officers were quick to sense the situation, and made a special effort to honor the old millionaire and his wife and daughter to the extent, that when we neared New York, the millionaire confided to me that he had had a most delightful voyage, and that he thought the captain was a delightful old Sea Dog.

SONORA—(UP)—Acording to R. R. Reynolds, the man who robbed his store and the loot he took, are in the same class. The "loot" was a big piece of cheese.

MUSIC BY SCIOT 60 PIECE BAND

De Molays Will Arrive 6:00 A. M. Sciots' Special Train Due Here 11 A. M.

Th Sciots will hold their second annual snow frolic here next Sunday, and the DeMolays will join them.

The De Molays will arrive in special cars attached to Southern Pacific train No. 10 due here at 6:00 A. M. Sunday morning. The Sciots special trains is scheduled to arrive at 11:00 A. M. Sunday.

The Sciots will bring their sixty piece band to provide music for the day

The Sciots are also bringing the Sacramento Winter Queen, Miss Katherine Mozingo of Sacramento, as their special guest.

C. Edmunds, manager of Truckee Winter Sports is making extensive plans to entertain the visitors.

In addition to skating, skiing, tobogganing, ash can slide, sleigh rides to Donner Lake and ski and snowshoe trips over the beautiful forest trails, there will also be spectacular ski jumping by some of the members of the Truckee Ski Club.

A number of other special features are being worked out for next Sunday by Manager Edmunds.

The loud speaker system at the railroad station will assist in handling the crowd, and directing attention to the special coat room and parcel checking stand, location of winter sports grounds, cutters, sleighs etc.

With ideal snow conditions, the Sciots and De Molays will have a snow frolic long to be remembered.

JAMES McIVERS JR. CHAIRMAN LIONS CLUB WEEKLY MEETING

James McIvers Jr. was chairman of the entertainment of the weekly Lions Club dinner and meeting held last evening at the Wyethia Club House.

Mr. McIvers gave an interesting talk on Truckee in the Old Days, and the progress which has been made.

H. I. Snider, Forest Ranger for this district and Rev. P. J. Moran were also speakers of the evening.

No meeting will be held next week on account of George Washington's Birthday, and many local Lions planning on being out of town.

REV. P. J. MORAN AND REV. P. H. WILLIS JOIN THE LIONS CLUB

Rev. J. P. Moran of the Truckee Catholic Church and Rev. P. H. Willis of the Truckee Methodist Church have been elected members of the Truckee Lions Club.

Both the Truckee Lion Tamer and Tail Twister have introduced the two local churchmen into the deep mysteries of Lionism.

Both Rev. Moran and Rev. Willis have a host of firends in this region, and are very popular in the community.

JUDGE JONES DELIVERS LINCOLN DAY TALK IN GRASS VALLEY

Judge George L. Jones, a keen admirer of Abraham Lincoln, and an enthusiastic student of his life, delivered a most interesting and impressive talk before the Grass Valley Rotary Club last Monday.

Judge Jones is one of the most interesting and gifted speakers in Nevada County, and much in demand as an after-dinner orator.

WARNING

The Southern Pacific Company is sending out a warning of a bogus check passer who has been operating in Phoenix and Tuscon, Ariz.

The man in question is about 26 years of age, 5 feet tall, and weight about 140, slender, dark hair.

The fraudulent checks have heading—"Mutual Benefit Health and Accident Association," and they have a Southern Pacific medallion set in the center.

The checks have also been circulated in Colorado

Local business men are warned to be on the lookout and cash only bona fide checks.

"SNOWBALL SPECIAL" BRINGS CROWD

Twelve Carloads From San Francisco and Sacramento Enjoy Snow Frolic

The Southern Pacific Company operated another "Snowball Special" from San Francisco and Sacramento to Truckee last Sunday, and despite the fact that we again had a stormy day, the big crowd all reported having had a fine time. The special arrived at 8:30 A. M. and the loud speaking system at the railroad station proved very effective in directing the crowd to the street, parcel room, winter sports grounds, sleigh rides, toboggan slide, ski trails, skating rink, etc.

Sam Costa had his big sleigh barge out drawn by eight beautiful big horses, and took a number of parties down to historical Donner Lake.

The cafes along Commercial Row did a rushing business all day, and many of the out of town guests rented winter sports equipment and enjoyed the skating and tobogganing.

The crowd was well handled from the arrival to the departure of the special train.

MRS. HARRY OLIVER HOSTESS OF CATHOLIC CARD PARTY

The second card party in the series of three was held at the Catholic Parish House last Thursday evening with six tables in play and Mrs. Harry Oliver as hostess.

First prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laity and consolation prizes by Mrs. R. P. Nelson and A. Filipcic.

A cake was raffled off during the evening and was won by A. Mahne.

The next party in this series will be held on February 23rd and in addition to the prizes for the evening, a grand prize will be awarded to the one holding the highest score for the three parties.

TRUCKEE SNOW PICTURES PUBLISHED ALL OVER COUNTRY

Pictures of Truckee's deep snow during the recent big snow storm, and supplied to the Associated Press by the Truckee Republican, are being published by the large metropolitan daily and Sunday newspapers all over the entire country.

Clippings received from the Allen Press Clipping Bureau, by the Truckee Republican, show that the Truckee pictures are being given a very wide distribution.

The pitcures forwarded to the Associated Press by the Republican last year were published as far east as Boston, and Montreal, Canada.

Mrs. W. F. Wilkie returned Sunday evening from a visit in San Francisco.

VIKING CLUB TAKES FIRST CLASS 'A' 'B'

Small Crowd at State Championship Meet At Big Bear Lake Near Los Angeles

The Viking Ski Cub of Los Angeles had things pretty much all their own way at the California State Championship Meet held at Big Bear Lake—near Los Angeles—last Saturday and Sunday.

The Viking ski jumpers captured first place in both the Class "A" and "B" ski jumping events.

Telefson won the Class "A" and Dorge won the Class "B". Both men come from Los Angeles and are members of the Viking Club.

Jess Maxsom was the only ski jumper from the Truckee Ski Club to participate and he came in second on the Combined Event—consisting of jumping and ski racing. Maxsom also took third place in the Men's Cross Country Race.

The Cross Country Course was over a very rough piece of ground, and there was a small jump at the end, and a partly buried log in the snow, resulting in most of the racers taking a fall at this point.

A small crowd of spectators—scarcely 500—attended the meet.

New Officers

At the annual meeting of the California Ski Association, held at Big Bear Lake Saturday evening, new officers were chosen for the coming year. Jack Ripley of the newly organized Arrowhead Ski Club was elected president and W. N. Webber, of the new Placerville Ski Club was made secretary.

C. Edmunds, the retiring president of the California Ski Association and manager of Truckee Winter Sports, conducted the meeting.

MANY ATTEND EASTERN STAR CARD PARTY

The committee in charge of the Eastern Star card party which was held in the Masonic Hall on Monday evening were very appreciative of the fine support extended to them.

Nine tables were in play with first prizes being awarded to Mrs. Rose Kielhofer and Andy Roquette, second prizes to Mrs. J. B. Maxsom and G. F. Hofmann.

A large heart shaped box of home made candy which was auctioned off was won by Andy Roquette.

Dainty refreshments were served.

ENGLEBRIGHT WARNS THAT FEDERAL AID WILL BE CURTAILED

Congressman Harry L. Engebright of Nevada City has wired California state officials that the federal congress will probably not include the federal aid road money in the next budget or would vote extremely limited amounts, thereby jeopardizing the jobs of 11,000 residents of California, which is favored heavily in the federal allottments.

Governor Rolph wired Senator T. L. Oddie, Nevada Republican, who is sponsoring the road aid bill, that California was "vitally interested" in its passage. Similar messages were sent to all the senators and representatives of California.

The national association of highway officials also wired yesterday to Earl Lee Kelly, director of public works, repeating Englebright's statement.

SACRAMENTO—(UP) —Although her first name is "Patience," Mrs. Fred Leslie says there is a limit to everything. She had her husband arrested on a charge of battery.

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UNABLE TO KEEP SULPHITE OUT TRUCKEE RIVER

Crown-Willamette Paper Company Advise Supreme Court in Washington, D. C. It Has Dismantled Its Pulp and Paper Plant in Floriston

The legal battle between the State of Nevada and the Crown-Willamette Paper Company at Floriston is apparently all over. On February 10th the Crown-Willamette people officially advised the supreme court in Washington, D. C. that they had dismantled their pulp and paper mill at Floriston, as they had failed to find any solution to the problem of keeping sulphite matter out of the Truckee River.

In March, 1918, the State of Nevada brought suit in the supreme court against the Crown-Willamette Paper Company, contending that they were contaminating the water of the Truckee River with sulphite, and thus making it unfit to use for drinking purposes in Nevada.

For a number of years the Crown-Willamette conducted experiments to provide some other means of disposing of the sulphite matter, but met with no success.

It has long been a cherished dream of the people of this region that matters between the State of Nevada and the Willamette Paper Company would be adjusted, and that the Floriston mill would again operate and give employment to the people of this section. The closing of the Floriston mill has greatly affected the region, and the majority of the people have felt all along that eventually the mill would reopen. The news that the paper company have given up all hopes of finding a solution to the sulphite problem is a big disappointment to the local townspeople, and especially the merchants and business men.

JOINT MEETING LIONS CLUB AND CHAMBER MAR. 8

President and Secretary of Sacramento Chamber of Commerce Will Deliver Addresses.

Members of the Truckee Chamber of Commerce and Truckee Lions Club will hold a joint meeting on March 8th.

A feature of the meeting will be addresses by Earl O. Schnetz, president of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and Arthur S. Dudley, Secretary of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Schnetz is owner of the Pioneer Bakery Company of Sacramento, and is considered a very gifted orator. Mr. Dudley is also a forceful speaker.

It is believed that both the members of the Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club will receive many constructive ideas as a result of the joint meeting and the guest speakers.

CAPITOL CAFE BANDIT CAUGHT IN ALHAMBRA

"Bon Ton" Blackie,, the man whom local police have been trying to locate since last October for holding up the Capitol Cafe, has been arrested in Alhambra, Calif., according to advise received by Sheriff George Carter.

Circulars describing "Blackie" were sent to all police throughout the state.

"Blackie" was arrested a few days ago in Alhambra, charged with burglary.

Steps will be taken to have "Blackie" brought to Truckee for trial for the Capitol Cafe holdup.

VALENTINE PARTIES AT GRAMMAR SCHOOL

All classes of the grammar school held valentine parties in their rooms on Tuesday afternoon.

The afternoon was spent in games and refreshments which had been prepared by the parents were served. Each room had a valentine box and valentines were exchanged between the children.

The postmistress in Miss Shafsky's room was Marjorie Parr and her assistants were Jocelyn Vollmar, Frances Polyanich, Ivy McColl and Jimmy Leamon.

The teachers of the grammar school wish to express their thanks to the parents who so generously helped to make the parties a success.

Miss Kathleen Lavelle from Sacramento is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R Ghirard

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Dr. F. A. Adams from Sacramento was the week end guest of Dr. C. C. Cozzalio.

LIONS CLUB DANCE WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY NIGHT

The Truckee Lions Club will hold a dance at Masonic Hall on next Saturday evening, February 18th.

An especially fine orchestra has been engaged by the Lions Club to provide music for the occasion.

Everyone in the region is cordially invited to attend this dance. Gentlemen one dollar and ladies free.

Secure your ticket from any member of the Truckee Lions Club.

MRS. EDITH FAY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Edith Fay, manager-owner Riverside Hotel, Truckee, was injured in an automobile accident in Reno last Thursday.

According to reports, Mrs. Fay had just passed thru the subway entering Reno from the Victory Highway, when her car skidded and swerved to the left.

A car coming from the opposite direction crashed into her, and both cars were damaged.

Mrs. Fay was badly shook up in the crash.

M. E. Church Notice

Sunday School at 10 A. M.

Morning worship at 11 A. M.

Easter will soon be here; let us observe the Lenten season as a preparation for Easter. Come to church next Sunday.

P. H. WILLIS, Pastor

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EDITORIALS

A man who claimed to have found buried treasure valued at thirty thousand dollars retracted his yarn when he discovered that it laid him open to about four thousand dollars income tax. Unless the activities of the Federal Government are checked somehow, even the fish story will have to go.

SOCIAL SYSTEM

Now it is Norman Thomas, Socialist leader, who is picking Technocracy to pieces. It is natural for all the "ists" and "crats" to fight among themselves, and it is also worth while to hear what they have to say.

Thomas blames Technocracy for being one-sided. "Behind the Technocratic system," he says, "I can see only one possibility in their minds—the setting up of a dictatorship of engineers. That is Fascism; or at least, it lends itself beautifully to Fascism."

He gives Technocracy credit for one service. "We have to thank the Technocrats for presenting dramatically a theory that has advertised the present situation to the world and, at least temporarily, set men to thinking about it." That is, they have made us think seriously about technological unemployment—the effect of labor-saving machines.

He complains that their service ends here. It submits no solution, no system. Yet it is really a good thing that the Technocrats stop where they do. The Socialists offer too much system.

It is self-evident to thinking people that technical engineers alone are not fitted to revamp the business system and reorganize society. Let them present what facts and figures they have, in their own line. The rest is for experts in other and broader lines, specialists in the "social sciences" of economies and government and sociology, which are more delicate and difficult.

The future of civilization will have to be worked out by many groups together, under the leadership of men who understand human nature as technologists understand mechanical energy, and who are likely to subordinate machines to life instead of letting them dominate life.

JOBS FOR CITIZENS ONLY

Turkey has gone patriotic, too. A new law has been enacted, to become effective in June, which reserves a number of trades and occupations for Turkish citizens only. Foreigners holding jobs in those trades will have to get out of them by the middle of June.

The law will affect 10,000 foreigners, among whom are waiters, barbers, shoeblacks, chauffeurs, gardeners, janitors, grocers, cabaret entertainers, musicians, engineers, lawyers, doctors, dentists and chemists. The 10,000 workers slated to lose their jobs represent nearer 40,000, when their families are included. Only two Americans are said to be included. Germans and Greeks are the chief sufferers.

There is no law in the United States on this point, but many employers have been acting upon the idea, employing only American citizens. The attitude has sent many foreigners voluntarily back home. Thousands of others have been deported. There has been considerable popular approval of the policy.

Doubtless a nation, like a family, should take care of its own members. Yet it is shortsighted and dangerous to carry a thing too far. A nation that takes jobs away from all foreigners will find other nations retaliating by doing the same thing. There will be a general exodus of jobless foreigners from many lands, returning to their native lands and leaving the relief and unemployment problems everywhere unimproved.

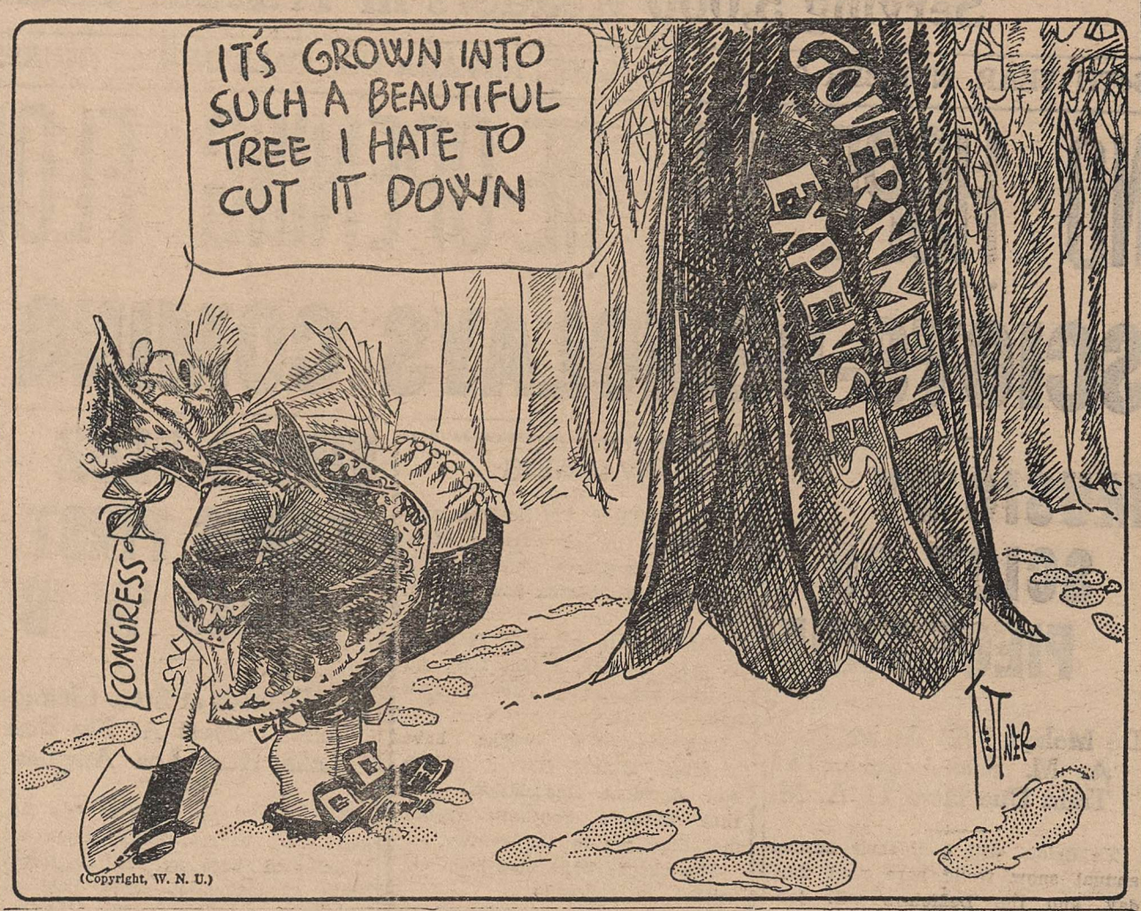
WELCOME REALISM

In recent years the word "realism," applied to literature and other arts, has connoted sordid, disagreeable, unpleasant things. Lately it has broken into general talk and thinking with a new interpretation. Today it means facing facts and acting upon them.

This attitude is regarded by many of the thoughtful persons studying the past, present and future as the most encouraging factor in the 1933 outlook. There is less waiting for something to happen and more setting about doing something. The doing includes making adjustments to present conditions and also making constructive plans for action in the immediate future.

More power to realism!

If the Truth Were Told



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HUMANITY IN PRISON

There were prison riots in Canada in 1932. They were not so numerous or so serious as those in the United States, but they made prison authorities give serious thought to the situation and seek its causes and remedies. The result of the dominion government's investigation was announced New Year's Day. It is a policy of greater leniency throughout Canadian prisons.

Visiting rules are changed; relatives may hereafter visit prisoners once a month instead of once in two months. Prisoners may write two letters a month to their families instead of one. Better lighting is to be installed in domitories, making reading more comfortable. More recreation is to be provided. The stern silence rule is to be modified. Corporal punishment is not to be used unless a prisoner has been proved guilty of misconduct. This proof requires evidence under oath, not the mere statement of a guard or fellow-prisoner.

All this will be called coddling by those who cling to old-fashioned ideas of prisons and punishment. Others will be glad Canada has the courage to try increased humanity as a cure for crime and prison unrest. It is certain that the severest, least humane methods have not been successful in the past, either in preventing crime or in reforming criminals.

THE UNEMPLOYED

You can put this down as a good general rule: When the devil finds you idle, he will put you to work.

The idleness that accompanies the widespread lack of employment is a danger second only to the privations that accompany such lack of employment.

Recognizing the undeniable truth of the foregoing statements, the organizations giving relief to unemployment victims should make it their business and their duty to see to it that those whom they would help are not thereby thrown into influences that would destroy their very characters.

Every person receiving unemployment relief should be required to work for what he gets, if he is able to work.

Not only is the menace of idleness to be carefully avoided, but pains should be taken to see to it that in relieving this nation-wide distress the persons who are helped are not pauperized and made to feel a loss of self-respect.

There is just one way to help our unemployed financially and not pauperize and demoralize them, and that is to insist that each one able to work, shall work for what he gets. In that way he will be kept busy: he will earn what he receives; and realizing that he has earned it, he will not feel humiliated: neither will he feel that he has gotten something for nothing.

There is an enormous amount of work to be done. Of course, it is much easier to hand a man out a basket of food, and let it go at that, than to find a way for him to pay for that basket of food. But to make free gifts of the people's money to those who are able to work yet not require them to work is to do a deadly thing.

The average man and the average woman do not want charity. They had rather work for what they get. There are persons who had rather starve than accept charity. Charity, in the general application of the term is harmful; it is degenerating. But the person who works for what he gets is not accepting charity. There is nothing degrading in going to a relief organization and asking for the privilege of exchanging one's labor for material aid.

All of our relief organizations should make it an inviolable rule that no help will be given to anyone who can work, unless he will work. The man who refuses to work, yet who compels his family to go to the charities for food, should invariably be put on the chain gang.

"No work, no eat," should be the slogan of every relief organization — and it should also be the slogan of those who give aid independent of organizations.

There is plenty of work to be done. But it would be better to have the recipients of unemployment relief pay in labor for what they get carrying brickbats back and forth from one end of the lot to the other and sweeping sunshine off the sidewalks, than to give them charity—than to give them something for nothing—than to get them into the state of mind of being willing to accept something for nothing—than to contribute to the evils of idleness and pauperization.

This huge business of protecting the enormous number of unemployed must be handled with discretion and discipline or the results will be disastrous.

Paste Pot and Shears

"SCRIBBLER"

in

Downieville Mountain Messenger

YE EDITOR

Dear Sir, or Madam, as you read
Your local paper through,
Maybe you think it's editings
A job not hard to do.

One mostly has to saunter round,
And hear the latest talk;
For gleaning news is scarcely more
Than just a pleasant walk.

The other matters do not count
Because you do not know
The multitude of aching griefs
That from a print shop flow.

For ink and type and printing press,
Cantankerous can be,
And space o'erfilled or yawning gaps
Produce much misery.

However, things mechanical
Will yield to time and toil;
It's human whims tyrannical
That make the system boil.

Some words you say or leave unsaid
May have an outcome bad,
Such as "Please stop my paper,"
Or "Just cut out my ad."

So don't consider your editor
An over-lucky chap;
His job is far from being
A hand-embroidered snap.

Government Leeches

From Tax Facts

Jobs are hard to get during so-called prosperous years. Personal ability goes a very little way. The opportunity simply isn't there. Isn't it the most natural thing in the world for the relatives and friends of every office holder in the country to ask him for the best jobs he can give them with the government, federal, state or local as the case may be? Isn't it also natural that he should want to do the best he can to provide for them? The salaries do not come from one individual or company. It is so easy to reach into the public till for one more salary, so hard for cousin Ann and sister Sue to find work.

Stop harangueing the politicians, Mr. Taxpayer. Change the tax system so that natural opportunities will be opened up to all alike. Jobs will be plentiful and there will be no occasion for these leeches that are such an unnecessary expense to the government. Like most of our social problems, we try to solve it by beginning at the top instead of at the bottom. As long as jobs are scarce, many people will rush to take advantage of any opportunity that offers—public office, racketeering or highway robbery.

Any Man Who Is Loyal Deserves the Respect of His Fellows

From Lions Magazine

Don't you love a man who is loyal? His ideals may not be the highest in the world. He may have mistaken views—or at least views which we think mistaken—on many subjects. But if he stands by his colors, whatever they are, we cannot but hold him in respect.

If his country is assailed, whether by armed foes or by those less brave who merely sneer and teach treacherous disloyalty in the name of "humanity" or "conscience" or any other pretence, he repels the attack.

If his home is endangered, he is its defender. If any of the institutions to which he had pledged himself is criticized, he meets the criticism face to face and upholds the things for which he stands.

Honor the man who keeps his pledges. He may not be highly educated in a literary sense. He may not be wealthy in cash or lands. But the Lion who is loyal to his club is a more valuable member than half a dozen lukewarm men who will not take a definite stand, argue and if need be fight for the right, and uphold their club in all circumstances.

The loyal man makes the best possible Lion; a man who is disloyal cannot be a true Lion.

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Weekly luncheon held each Monday at noon. Meeting place posted in Truckee Public Utility window. You are urged to attend.
C. E. Smith, President
Lotta Bryant, Secretary

TAHOE REGION NEWS

By CELESTE

(Too Late for Last Issue)

Beautiful weather continues to inspire the Tahoeites to make good use of their skiis now that the house tops have all been relieved of their heavy burden of snow. Monday morning Jos Henry, chief of the hill, led the march of skiers with snow shovels on their backs to work on the ski jump in Ski Canyon. A marvelous ski jump for Class C and D jumpers is under construction on the old toboggan slope. The hill affords a long runway for the more adventurous who wish to try for a long jump. Ski members who helped on the hill included Weller Atherton, Fred Cowell, Harry Johaneson and Joe Henry. Lunch was served by Mrs. Stella Watson, Mrs. Fred Cowell and Miss Mildred Watson. Early in the afternoon the high school students, Robert and Donald Cowell, Buster West, Ray Nelson, Walter Manderville, Carl Bechdolt, Lillian Vernon, Kathleen Anderson, June and Virginia West were on the hill to lend a helping hand.

Tuesday work was completed on the Junior jump by Bob Watson, Weller Atherton, Joe Henry, Fred Cowell, Bill Shifton and Pedro. The picnic lunch was furnished by Mrs. A. M. Anderson, Weller Atherton, A. M. Henry, R. W Watson and Miss Mildred Watson. The hill is in excellent shape and our boys are making some very pretty jumps.

N. R. Mayfield, A. M. Anderson and J Howrigan were visitors in Truckee Saturday.

Semester finals at the Placer Union High at Tahoe resulted in a number of very happy pupils when results of hard study were known and high marks awarded

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Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Mayfield of Tahoe motored to San Francisco Wednesday for a few weeks vacation.

Word has been received from the three Tahoe boys who are attending Sacramento Junior College, Martin Spitzen, Glenn Nash and Jack Anderson that they have received very high honors in their respective studies.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Armstrong of Tahoe are visiting Mrs. Armstrong's daughter in Lindsay. The Armstrongs will return to Tahoe the fifteenth of March.

Tahoe folks who attended the Truckee ski meet wish to thank the Truckee Ski Club for a most enjoyable and pleasant day spent in Truckee last Sunday. Tahoe is very proud of little Kathleen Anderson who placed second, just twenty seconds behind the winner in the Ladies Cross Country Ski Race. Other contestants entered were Marie Henry, who came in third. Donald Cowell in Class "C" jump, Junior Henry and Carl Bechdolt in Class "D" jumps. The boys were very brave to attempt Truckee's big ski jump before they had any practice on a large jump. Junior Henry captured first place in the Class "D" jump.

Noticed a large number of Tahoe folks at the meet including George Allen, N. R. Mayfield, Bob Watson, Joe Henry, Jack Eblen, Robert Cowell, Buster West, Donald Cowell, Junior Henry, Carl Beckdoldt, Carlo Vanni, Mrs. Joe Howrigan, Mrs. A. M. Anderson, Mrs. John Planett, Mrs R Watson, Miss Mildred Watson, Miss Celeste Planett, Mrs. Marie Henry, Patsy Henry, Miss June West, Mrs. Billie Mayhew, Leroy Andrews and Donald Cowell had their dog teams in Truckee Sunday.

On January 27th a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitney of San Francisco. Mrs. Whitney is the daughter of Mrs. J. E. Pomin of Idlewild, who is visiting in San Francisco for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Eldridge and daughter of Tahoe Pines were guests of Mrs. Henry Hinkle Friday. Mr. and Mrs Keith had been visiting in Reno when the storm broke, delaying their return.

There was great excitement in Tahoe Friday afternoon about three o'clock when the snow plow made an appearance opening the road to Truckee and connection with the outside world. It's a grand and glorious feeling after being snowbound. Two truckloads of mail (we heard a ton and a half in weight, arrived. Seven boys volunteered to help carry the mail down the hill to the post office, returning with mail sacks of outgoing mail to load on the truck so mail could leave by five o'clock. The snow plow widened the highway through Tahoe City and in front of the business buildings, there being ample parking space provided, before continuing to open the highway to the State line by Brockway. The opening of this highway was completed Monday morning. Motorists must drive carefully as the highway has not been widened full width as yet. Snow was flying in driveways when the rear of the snowplow was heard so the family bus could have clear sailing in time to take in the Truckee Ski Meet Sunday.

(This Week)

Some forty members of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club braved the storm Sunday to keep their picnic date in Ski Canyon, and did we have fun? Well just ask any of the folks who were there. The picnic lunches were gathered at Henry's Garage and loaded in cars. At the foot of Ski Canyon Donald Cowell and his famous dog team awaited the transfer from car to sled and conveyed them up the canyon over the snow to the foot of the ski hill, the center of activity.

There were races for the ladies boys downhill and snow shoe, which always affords merry laughter for the crowd. Class "D" and "C" jumps a longest standing jump and a jump for the married men.

Contestants who entered are placed respectively: Womens Race, Miss June West, Miss Mildred Watson, Mrs. Stella Watson, Mrs. A. M. Anderson, Mrs Weller Atherton, Miss Bliss Hinkle, Miss Florence Vernon, Mrs. Muriel Howrigan and Mrs. Fred Cowell.

Small boys and girls race: Kathleen Anderson, Lillian Vernon, Virginia West, Oliver Hendrickson. Charles Hendrickson, Sue Hinkle and little Patsy Henry.

Men's and boys' snow shoe race: Buster West, Harry Johansson, Donald Cowell, Walter Manderville, Pedro.

Boys race: Walter Manderville, Junior Henry, Buster West, Robert Cowell, Jack Anderson, Carl Beckdolt, Bob Frye.

Slalom, open to all members: Junior Henry, Kathleen Anderson, Walter Manderville, Carl Beckdolt, Harry Johannson, Joe Henry, Marie Henry, Mildred Watson and Jack Adams.

Longest standing jump was a tie between Junior Henry, Carl Beckdoldt and Robert Cowell and they were given another jump and Junior Henry placed first.

Girls jump: Kathleen Anderson, Lillian Vernon, Virginia West, June West and Mildred Watson.

Small boys jump: Charles Hendrickson, Billy Beckdoldt and Oliver Hendrickson.

Mens jump: A tie between Joe Henry and Bill Shifton, Bill Meyers Weller Atherton, Bob Watson and Joe Howrigan.

Class "C" jump: Donald Cowell, Walter Manderville, Jack Anderson, Robert Cowell.

Class "D" jump: Junior Henry, Carl Beckdoldt, David Renner, Buster West.

After such strenuous exercise how much the hot picnic lunch was appreciated was shown by the jovial spirit in which all partook with hearty congratulations to the hostesses, Mrs. Fred Cowell, Mrs. A. M Henry, Mrs Bob Watson, Miss Mildred Watson and Miss Sarah Crone

Much of the success of this meet is due Vice President Weller Atherton, who acted as time keeper, Second Vice President Robertson Starter Joe Henry Chief of the hill for excellent condition of the hill and Judge,

Race courses were laid out by Harry Johannson and Mrs. Marie Henry. Members who missed this Ski Meet and picnic hope we will have another soon so our next meet should prove bigger and better.

Do not forget our sanctioned Ski Meet to be held at Tahoe March fifth,

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Mrs. Bennie Mayhew and Mrs. George Allen motored to Reno Wednesday for a pleasure trip.

Matt Green and Joe Duffee drove up from Sacramento Monday after the highways were opened to travel. Mr. Green and Mr. Duffee were guests of Mr. and Mrs McCarthy, auditor of the Tavern

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Saturday evening students of the Placer Union High School at Tahoe gave a Valentine party at the school. All students were dressed in costumes representing titles of books. Many games were enjoyed by all and much merriment was enjoyed during the course of the evening. Tables were beautifully decorated with appropriate seasonal suggestions by Miss Lillian Vernon. Tasty refreshments were served.

Captain Hans Hansen of Rubicon Lodge was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry and family of Tahoe City. Captain Hansen returned Sunday in a small boat as the highway is opened only as far as the Hut towards Homewood.

Harry Johannson of Tahoe skied to Truckee one day by the highway in one hour and forty minutes. Harry is training to enter some of the ski races held by the various clubs in the near future,

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Mrs. Andrew Sumpter of Tahoe City passed away Saturday afternoon at 3:30 P. M. at her home after a short illness. Mrs. Sumpter was seventy years of age. She was born at Forest Hill and was an old time resident of Tahoe. She is survived by her husband, Andrew, a sister, Mrs. E. J. Pomin of Tahoe and a brother, Frank Fick of Forest Hill.

Services were held in Auburn Tuesday at ten o'clock and the remains were conveyed to Forest Hill for interment

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Truckee visitors from Tahoe last Thursday included Mrs. Jack Malcolm, Elmer Malcom, Mr. W. A. Simmonds, Mrs. John Stevens, Mrs. A. M. Henry, Patsy Henry and Miss Sarah Crone,

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Jack Anderson was visiting at home from College for a few days and attended the Tahoe ski meet, getting in a little practice ski jumping.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Henry Soll of Pine Lodge were hosts to a delightful dinner in honor of Captain Hans Hansen of Rubicon Lodge and Mr. Ernest Pomin of Idlewild.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malcolm and son Elmer left Tahoe Monday for a visit with their daughter Mrs. Al Friedman of Sacramento. Mr. Malcolm will enter the Veterans Hospital at Palo Alto for treatment.

Mrs. Carl Beckdoldt and little son Billie returned to Tahoe Saturday after a six weeks trip to Southern California where they visited Mrs. Beckdoldt's sister Mrs. Connors of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Weller Atherton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Marshall Sunday evening. After dinner the evening was spent in playing bridge.

Wednesday, February 8th was Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens fifth wedding anniversary. Mr. Stevens planned to surprise his wife so with the aid of Mrs. Wm. Crone of the Squirrel House in Tahoe City planned a surprise Valentine dinner for ten guests. Table decorations and the dining room were appropriately decorated with cupids and red hearts. After dinner bridge was enjoyed till midnight when delightful refreshments were served by Mrs. Crone and her daughter Miss Sarah. Highest score was awarded to Mrs. Joe Howrigan and A. M. Anderson, while consolation was given Mrs. A. M. Anderson and Joe Howrigan. Tne guest of honor reecived many gifts suitable for the occasion Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howrigan, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Anderson and daughter Kathleen and Mr. and Mrs John Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beckdoldt and Mrs. Bennie Mayhew left Tahoe Monday for Auburn to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Andrew Sumpter.

Monday afternoon Bob Watson and his tractor broke trail up Grove street to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Watson who wished to take their car out to drive to Auburn to attend the services of Mrs. Watson's aunt Mrs. Andrew Sumpter.

Miss Amy Quinn of Auburn is visiting her aunt Mrs. Henry Rose of Tahoe for several weeks. Miss Quinn is making the best of the opportunity all this snow gives her to get in training for the Ladies Cross Country Ski Race to be held in Cisco Sunday.

By "SWANEE"

Mrs. John Stevens on Wednesday presided over a surprise dinner tendered her by her husband on their fifth wedding aninversary at the Squirrel Inn at Tahoe City, where Mrs. Crone had prepared a delicious meal. The table was attractively decorated with red Valentine hearts and streamers, and a bride's cake served as center piece. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. George Allan, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Anderson and daughter Kthleen and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howrigan Bridge served as the after dinner diversion, high scores being won by Mrs. Joe Howrigan and Mr. A .M. Anderson

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William Topp of Tahoe Cedars returned to Tahoe from a three week visit at Modesto on Monday

On Tuesday Mr. Topp and Ray Matchem were guests of the C. A. Swansons at a clam dinner (the clams being imported from Sacramento,

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Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hanson and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Hart were visitors on Sunday at the A. M. Anderson home at Tahoe.

Mr and Mrs. N. R. Mayfield left Tahoe on Tuesday for Oakland where they will remain for some time. Mrs. Mayfield has just recovered from a recent severe illness.

Jack Anderson, son of Mrs. A. M. Anderson, was home from Junior College at Sacramento over the week-end, returning to school on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D Worden of Sunnyside were hosts on Monday night at a. delicious turkey dinner after which bridge was enjoyed. Those who shared in the delightful evening were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nielsen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swanson and son Jimmie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Watson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Smith of Sunnyside on Sunday.

Mrs Carl Bechdolt and son Billie returned on Friday to Tahoe Inn after a delightful vacation spent at Pasadena with relatives and friends.

The snowplow is reported to have gone as far as the Hut near Homewood. It is expected to return this way again when the present storm is over and no longer needed at the summit.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. E. H. Pomin of Tahoe, who had such a difficult trip on skiis thru the snow while the highway was closed, were sorry to learn that her mother, Mrs. Nellie Felter, of Los Angeles to whose bedside she was summoned, died on Monday. Mr. Pomin also left to join his wife and attend the funeral in Los Angeles. Mrs. Pomin was the only child. Mrs. Felter was seventy years of age

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The townsfolk of Tahoe were grieved deeply on Saturday to hear of the sudden death of one of the town's oldest and most respected citizens, Mrs. Andrew Sumpter. She was born at Forest Hill and was 70 years old. She and her husband had lived here ever since their marriage forty years ago, Mr. Sumpter being caretaker for the Tahoe Tavern for many years. For several days previous to her demise Mrs. Sumpter had suffered from a form of stomach flu, quite prevalent lately in Tahoe, but it was not suspected her condition was serious. Dr. Bernard of Truckee, who was hurriedly called, said apoplexy was the direct cause of death. She leaves her husband, Andrew a sister, Mrs. Jennie Pomin and a brother, Frank Fick of Forest Hill, and a number of nieces and nephews. Mrs. Benny Mayhew, a close friend of the family, will accompany Mr. Sumpter to Auburn where services will be held at the chapel there with burial following at Forest Hill.

Tahoe was greatly disappointed, as were the entrants chosen by the Ski Club, to learn that the Big Bear Lake Meet had decided to eliminate a number of the scheduled races there because of lack of entries. It is hoped that some local club will bid for them and that they may be held in the near future in this vicinity.

Constable Carl Bechdolt of Tahoe Inn entertained a very distinguished visitor over Thursday and Friday in the person of John B. Adams of Yerington, Nevada. Mr. Adams is the world's champion small bore rifle shot, having captured the title from England, over 600 competitors at Bisley, England in July, 1932, with an aggregate score of 1408 out of a possible 1420 points, the former world's record being 1403. He is a graduate of Stanford University and was captain of their rifle team in 1931 and 1932 and won 39 out of 40 matches. In March, 1932, he tied with his brother Henry for first place in California State Smallbore matches with 1211 out of 1225 and received the title because he outranked his brother at long range shooting. He expects to return to England again in July to defend his title.

On Sunday Tahoe turned out en mass for a day of snow sports and picnicking despite flurries of snow during the program. About forty persons, young and old, left Tahoe about 9:30 making their way on skiis and snowshoes to Ski Canyon. Donald Cowell with his dog team and sled carried the lunches. A marvelous community dinner with hot coffee was served around noon at the Toboggan Round House after which the races and contests began. in the Women's Race June West was first, Mildred Watson second, Stella Watson third, and Mrs. A. M. Anderson fourth. In the Men's jump Bill Shifton was first with Joe Henry around. In the girls' jump Kathleen Anderson was first, Lillian Vernon second and Virginia West third. Snow shoe race Buster West came in first with Harry Johansen second. Slalom race Junior Henry first, Kathleen Anderson second and Walter Mandeville third. Class C jump Donald Cowell first and Robert Cowell second. D jump Juior Henry first and Carl Bechodlt Jr. second.

SPECIAL RATES ON S. P. FOR FEBRUARY 22

San Francisco's plans for the entertainment of thousands of visitors in connection with its varied program of spectacular events over the Washington's Birthday weekend were being speeded today following announcement by the Southern Pacific Company of a double offering of Dollar Day excursions, according to word received here.

The bay city's atrtactions will be featured by the Fields-Corbett Championship boxing match and opening of the municipal War Memorial on February 22, and groundbreaking ceremonies for the Golden Gate Bridge on February 26. The United States battlefleet will be in the harbor for the celebration.

To accommodate travel to San Francisco for all California stations for Washington's Birthday, Southern Pacific will operate cent a mile roundtrip excursions February 21 and 22, it was made known by R. P. Bick, local agent.

This offering, he said, will be followed by a three-day sale of the lowfare transportation, February 24, 25 and 26, between all points on the company's lines in six western states. The final return limit will be March 7 in all cases.

"SEWING BEE' CHANGED TO "SAWING" BEE''

ORLAND, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—The oldtime "sewing bee" is now a "sawing bee."

Students of the Lake Grammar School have 40 tiers of wood for their fuel supply, the result of a recent "sawing bee."

Men of the district took part in the "bee" while the women prepared lunch at the school house. Eucalyptus trees surrounding the school furnished the material.

—TRADE IN TRUCKEE—

HOBART MILLS

By MRS. R. McDONALD

T. Thiebouldt has returned to Hobart Mills after a week in San Francisco where he took his mother Mrs. P. Thiebouldt for the benefit of her health. She will visit with her son Ralph for several months

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W. W. Butler went to Oakland Thursday to attend the wedding of his daughter Wilma who was to be married on Friday.

Miss Vivian Banks was painfully hurt on the Hobart toboggan slide last week. A number of the younger folks were sliding and while going down the toboggan slide which is a very fast one her leg in some manner got loose and hit the side of the slide. It was thought that she had sustained a cracked pelvic bone at first but an x-ray disclosed a bad strain and the young lady will be laid up for some time to come.

Mrs. Harry Horan and son Elmer have returned to Hobart after several months spent in Los Angeles with her two daughters.

D. Lacy has gone to Arizona where he will spend some time for the benefit of his health.

O. Landreth of the Hobart office force has gone to the coast where he will enjoy a two weeks vacation with his family who are spending the winter there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bullard and small daughter have returned to Hobart after spending some time in the southern part of the state.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. G. Lesselyoung entertained at a dinner party followed by bridge. A most delicious supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. A Murray, Mr. and Mrs. R. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. C. Lindsay. After dinner a most delightful evening was spent at cards at which Mrs. Lindsay proved to be holder of high score and Mr. E. C. Murray was high gentleman.

Saturday evening the Hobart Mills Camp Fire girls gave a party at the Hobart Hall. Sixteen of the Hobart young people enjoyed a fine evening of dancing and games and at a late hour refreshments were served.

Those who enjoyed the evening were the Misses Imogene Lindsay Ruth Siebould, Marjory Cannady, Pauline Thomas, Grace Fry, Ida Stewart, Hazel Ingold and the Messrs. Donald McDonald, Henry McLeod, James McLeod, Ralph Ingold, Albert Cannady, Wilber Balentine and Alja Caples. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis acted as chaperones as Mrs. Davis is the leader of the Camp Fire Girls.

Wednesday afternoon the Hobart Mills Parent Teachers Association had a most enjoyable meeting at the school house, the occasion being Founders Day and an appropriate program had been prepared by several of the school children under the tutelage of Mrs. Davis. After the regular business meeting the program was enjoyed and after that tea was served by the president Mrs. J. Percy, assisted by Mrs. W. Caplesand. A collection was taken up to be sent to the parent association.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Percy returned to Hobart Monday after several weeks in San Francisco. Mr. Percy returned much improved in health.

G. D. Oliver arrived in Hobart from Berkeley Monday for a few days stay here.

NORDEN NEWS

By C. W. KRAMER

James Fulbright, the towering guardian of the rails at night of Norden departed to the Capital City on business for a couple of days.

Master James Bush, age 10 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Bush of Tunnel Six, is proving quite a novice on skiis, having only spent two years at Norden during the winter months of snow, has brought out a new juvenile prospect who has proven to be quite adept in the art of skiing and no doubt in a short time will find himself among the better juvenile aspirants in these parts or near by vicinities.

John P. Thornburn, B&B 108 Tunnel Six, was in attendance of a recent meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars and reports many valuable items were attended to.

Clarence N. Libby and wife of Tunnel Six made a hurried trip to Sacramento on business.

Misses Lorraine McLeRoy and Margaret Craighorn of Sacramento accompanied the W. G. Flickinger family to Norden to spend the week end induging in snow sports at Norden and vicinity.

Harvey L. Bush of Tunnel Six was missed away from here for a few days while he attended to business in the valley.

One of Norden's most inventive geniuses, Harold G. Boomer, has been drawing considerable attention of late over his ability to construct modern machinery in his work shop at Old Summit to better perform his duties. Several persons who have witnessed his model work shop in operation report many late improvements. Who knows but what we have another "Edison" in the offing. His work shop is open to spectators.

George Allen, Albert Lynn and Edward Faukersley are now located at Newcastle.

Mrs. H. Schroder of Sacramento is up for a few days visit at the J. C. Lyon residence on Norden Terrace.

Sidney Snyder, who has been about the bay cities for the past ten days has now resumed his duties at Norden.

Mrs. E. F. Hitchborn of Sacramento spent a very delightful visit at the Hackley home on Woolworth Drive.

John Creasy, B&B 108 Tunnel Six made a hurried trip to Reno on business.

John Mury, a signal department employee of Old Summit, spent the week end with his mother at Richmond.

As we go to press the latest results on the solo contest conducted by B&B 108 show that Clarence Cook and Joseph Casari are leading the field by a comfortable majority. Johnny Backarich and Nobel Robinson are losing valuable points and Chas. Vanderford and Joseph Northey are runner ups.

A. C. Murphy of Boca was the successful applicant for the foremanship of the signal gang made vacant by John J. Cochrane, who bid in a district at Colfax.

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POLITICALLY SPEAKING

By HOMER L. ROBERTS
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Special to The Truckee Republican

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—More "dynamite" is expected to be touched off when the senate investigation committee launches its inquiry into purchase by the state of the Lewis ranch in Ventura county as a hospital site, for $415,000.

Previous testimony brought out the fact that Rolland A. Vandegrift, director of finance, bought a ranch adjoining the hospital site; that the only good well is on Vandegrift's property, and that commissions of $20,000 were paid to each of two salesmen for the deal.

Governor Rolph opened the battle at last week's hearings in Sacramento with a blast at Senator J. M. Inman, chairman, accusing him of operating a "pardon racket."

Specifically, the governor charged Inman with using his political influence to get a pardon from Governor William D. Stephens for Dr. William S. Card, San Francisco, convicted of an illegal operation. Inman got the pardon, Rolph asserted, and pocketed a fee of $2,500. The Sacramento senator was also connected with alleged efforts to free Marco Albori, notorious Los Angeles "vice lord."

To which Inman retorted: "This attack is no surprise. I was warned if I insisted upon pressing this investigation I would be ruined politically and financially."

Outstanding features of the week's testimony:

That of 259 miles of secondary highway added to the state system in Southern California, 86 miles went to Orange county, home of Commissioner Phil Stanton, who claimed that most of the roads originated outside the county.

That the so-called "Rolph ranch road" in San Mateo county was adopted against the recommendation of state engineers. Walter E. Garrison, former director of public works, said Rolph ordered the road in. Earl Lee Kelly, present director, called Garrison "a liar."

That Governor Rolph arranged an introduction of his son, James Rolph III, to A. F. Hockenbeamer, president of the Pacific Gas and Electric company. Subsequently the son's firm got some insurance business from the P. G. & E., but not, Hockenbeamer insisted, "as a result of the governor's conversation."

That Vandegrift sold $2,700,000 in veterans welfare bonds to Donnellan and Company, San Francisco brokers. The firm took it up by promising them future bond business.

Political gossip: Rheba Crawford Splivalo isn't going to pinch-hit for Aimee Semple McPherson in Angelus Temple. Mrs. Splivalo branded the report a "malicious political rumor." Only 16 per cent of all state employees receive more than $200 a month. Three Alameda county assemblyman refused to appear on a luncheon program with Governor Rolph, so the luncheon was called off. Director of Finance Vandegrift wants to abolish the state narcotics hospital at Spadra and save $181,000 a year, thus waving the red flag at William Randolph Hearst, who sponsored the institution during the regime of Governor C. C. Young. Watch for announcements that the recall movement against Governor Rolph has been definitely called off.

Federal Lands Should Not Be Tax Exempt

By MELVIN LORD
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Special to The Truckee Republican

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—California's problem of exemptions from the local property tax is acute, and legislative action should be taken to correct the situation, particularly relative to federal lands.

This is the recommendation of the state tax research bureau in a report which points out that there are 20,286,434 acres of tax-exempt national forests, parks and other federal lands in the state with an assessed valuation estimated at $95,110,000.

In Nevada couny federal holdings total 115,579 acres with an assessed valuation of $420,000, the report said.

"It does not seem that the benefits derived locally from he national forests and parks compensate the counties in which they are located for the loss in taxes," the report said.

"This loss is so great in certain counties, that the problem seems worthy of the early attention of the legislature. No solution can be reached, however, without action in Congress, and therefore, the only course open for the legislature would seem to be to memorialize Congress.

The problem is particularly acute in Alpine county where the exempt federal lands are eight times as extensive as taxable property, and five times as great in Trinity and Mono counties, it was pointed out.

The first step toward this suggested relief has been taken with the introduction of a resolution in the state senate by Senator Harold Powers, Modoc county.

This resolution asks congress to appropriate funds sufficient to pay 5 cents an acre to counties in lieu of taxes on federal lands.

Other legislators also have indicated they intend to introduce measures seeking relief for counties within whose boundaries substantial tax exempt holdings are located,

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TEHAMA—(UP)—Jobs may be hard to find, but W. E. Storrs resigned as mayor of this city and accepted the position of chief of police.

CAMPTONVILLE—(UP)—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rogers were taking no chances, so they staked their gold claim in 6 feet of snow.

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BARBERS OFFER FREE HAIRCUTS TO KIDDIES

CHICO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—Free hair cuts, offered to children under 15 years of age kept Chico barbers working overtime recently.

Eight union barbers made the offer, specifying the hours between 7 and 9 P. M. for the free sittings.

In all 262 children were served, one shop alone caring for 55. The barbers said it was their contribution to the relief of hard times.

HEALDSBURG—(UP) — "Out of the pot into the fire" could be applied to A. E. Adams. He jumped out of the path of a passing truck and two dynamite caps exploded in his hand.

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REDDING—(UP)—Joseph Bishelt, aged miner, didn't care when he ran out of ordinary groceries, but when his onions and syrup were gone, he made a pair of snow shoes and started for town.

NAPA — (UP) — When Robert George was attacked by an enraged bull a little fox terrier dog came to his rescue and held off the animal until George escaped from the corral.

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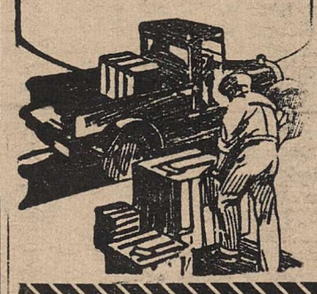
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Nevada County Gives $2,828 Inheritance Tax To The State

By HOMER L. ROBERTS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Special to The Truckee Republican

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—Even inheritances, it appears, are getting smaller on account of the depression.

This was disclosed in the semi-annual settlement made by Nevada county with the state of California, in which the county turned over $2,828 collected for the state, most of which represented inheritance taxes.

The total amount collected for the 6-month period by 56 of the 58 counties of the state was $3,618,420, as compared with $7,006,338 for the same period in 1931 and $10,421,472 in 1930—a loss in two years of more than 188 per cent.

Just what happened to bring about this unusual decrease is problematical, according to state officials. Either fewer wealthy persons died during the half-year, or those who died left greatly depleted estates to their heirs.

California, it is pointed out, has a remarkably low inheritance tax rate. This is provided in order not to discourage persons of wealth and advanced age from coming to this state to spend their remaining days.

Thirtythree of the counties made their payments in person by the county treasurers. Mono and Alpine counties reported no collections, and Trinity county offered a county warrant, which was rejected by the state controller.

Under a bill introduced in the last state legislature, the state would no longer pay the traveling expenses of county clerks to Sacramento to make the semi-annual settlement. This would be a measure of economy.

Aggregate collections by all counties for various functions of the state were as follows:

Property tax, $688.17; sale of tax-deeded lands, $302; inheritance tax, $2,957,705; Whittier school for boys, $42,611; Ventura school for girls, $23,088; Preston school for boys, $92,919; Sonoma home for feeble-minded, $343,936; Pacific colony, $74,297; Stockton state hospital, $721; Spadra narcotic hospital, $9,304; Berkeley school for deaf and blind, $541; Mendocino state hospital, $5,767; Patton state hospital, $2,233; estates of deceased persons, $64,234.

SONORA—(UP)—After trampling down the snow, a large deer was unable to get out of the hole. It is being fed by John Sardella and will eat oats from Sardella's hand.

SANTA ANA—(UP)—When Hubert Marston was arrested for speeding Justice of the Peace Kenneth Morrison sentenced the automobile to 30 days in jail.

TAX EXEMPTION LAW MAY BE KILLED BY NEW AMENDMENTS

By HOMER L. ROBERTS
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Special to The Truckee Republican

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—War veterans and former service men of California would lose the $1,000 tax exemption they now enjoy under the state constitution, if two proposed amendments before the state legislature are adopted and ratified by the people.

This would effect 397 veterans in Nevada county, who last year received exemption on $182,560 in property, according to records of the state board of equalization.

The measures were introduced by Assemblyman Albert F. Ross, Redding and Senator Leonard J. Difani, Riverside.

Powerful veterans' organizations including the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Spanish War Veterans, and Disabled Veterans of the World War, are mustering their forces to protect these benefits which have been in force for many years. They also expect to oppose any move to tax homes purchased by veterans under contract from the veterans' welfare board.

Under the present law any person holding an honorable discharge from the armed forces of the United States who served during war times is entitled to a $1,000 tax exemption, provided he does not own property to the value of $5,000.

Under a proposed constitutional amendment by Assemblyman Ross this provision would be repealed. Under another amendment by Senator Difani, this benefit would apply only to any person "who was a bona fide resident in California at the time of his enlistment, commission or drafting." This would remove benefit from many residents who have moved to California since the war.

Another group of measures attack property purchased under the Veterans farm and home loan act. This is particularly aimed at farm land, and provides that under certain conditions such property may be taxed by any city or county.

WINS DEGREE OF 'AMERICAN FARMER'

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—Honorary degree of "American Farmer," awarded to only four high school agricultural students in the United States has been won by Neibo Casini, according to M B. Boisstvain, Marin county farm advisor.

"Casini was captain of the dairy cattle judging team winning first place at the national dairy show at St. Louis ni 1931," Bossevain said.

The award was made by the Future Farmers of America, a National organization.

At the Churches

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M. E. Church

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning worship 11 A. M.

Christian Science

"Mind" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, February 19, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon will include the fol lowing from the Bible: "Therefore whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: And the rain descended, and the floods came and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not; for it was founded upon a rock" (Matt. 7:24, 25).

The Lesson-Sermon also will include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The testimony of the material senses is neither absolute nor divine. I therefore plant myself unreservedly on the teachings of Jesus, of his apostles, of the prophets, and on the testimony of the Science of Mind. Other foundations there are none. All other systems — systems based wholly or partly on knowledge gained through the material senses—are reeds shaken by the wind, not houses built on rock" (p. 269).

SAILORS ON LEAVE ARE EXCUSED FOR ZIGZAG DRIVING

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—It is not necessary to dip into advanced psychology to understand why a sailor on shore leave zigzags along the highway in a rented car, according to Associate Justice Pat R. Parker of the third district appelate court.

In affirming a judgment growing out of an automobile accident, Justice Parker said.

"It seems just a situation where a young man and a young lady in youthful exuberance were mentally engaged in something other than the operation of the motor car."

113 STATE EMPLOYES RECEIVE PENSION

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP—One hundred and thirteen state employes receive a pension from the state under the 1931 retirement act, according to a statement of Rolland A. Vandegrift, state director of finance.

Sixty-two receive pay for disability and 51 have been retired for age limit.

William H. Hornaday, 88, former employe at the Veterans' Home in Yountville, is the oldest pensioner.

The largest retirement pay, $187.54 per month, is reecived by Dan Sullivan, formerly foreman of the state printing. The smallest is received by Darwin Cobb for disability, $4.23 per month.

San Quentin Prisoners Number 5,072; 2,775 at Folsom

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 16—(UP)—Census charts of San Quentin prison showed 5,072 prisoners during January, according to a report of the state division of prisons and paroles. The report showed 2,775 prisoners at Folsom.

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WILL ROGERS HAS EMOTIONAL ROLE IN FILM

Though he is known the world over as America's greatest exponent of wit, humor and homespun philosophy, Will Rogers is said to qualify as a highly emotional actor as well as a comedian in "Too Busy To Work," his latest Fox picture which comes to the Donner Theatre next Saturday night.

Rogers portrays the role of a wandering, happy-go-lucky ne'er do well, who returning from the war, tramps from place to place in search of his wife and daughter and the man who stole them while he was in the trenches. Eventually, he finds the daughter and the man, but discovers that his wife is dead.

Revealing himself to the man, but refusing to disclose his identity to his daughter for fear of ruining her happiness, he tolerantly fails to take advantage of an opportunity for revenge and the climax finds him doing the reverse of the conventional thing.

In his role of a modern Enoch Arden, Rogers is said to have many touching scenes with both his daughter and the "other man." Marian Nixon, dainty and beautiful, plays the role of the daughter, dividing the love interest with Dick Powel who was widely acclaimed for his performance in "Blessed Event."

Frederick Burton appears as the father and others in the cast are Constantine Romanoff, Douglas Coc-grove, Louise Beavers and Jack O'-Hara.

The pitcure was directed by John G. Blystone, who also directed Rogers in "So This Is London."

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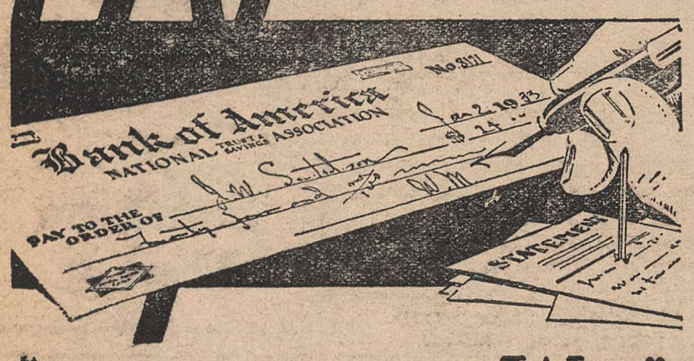

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'Round About Town

Home Town Happenings and Vicinity News Notes Gathered Here and There by Our Reporting Staff

FOR RENT — Four room house with bath and garage Rent $15.00 Phone 56-J.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Loynd and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loynd have returned from a trip to Berkeley and San Francsco.

The eastbound Pacific Limited—due here at 1:50 P. M. was two hours late last Saturday on account of the cold weather and the storm.

The Standard Oil Company has put out a new map showing locations of all winter sports resorts on the Pacific Coast.

The map gives Truckee prominent display and a write up.

The February 3rd issue of the "Argonaut," published in San Francisco, gave Truckee a nice write up on our winter sports and mentioned that it was the oldest and one of the most popular winter sports resorts in the entire Sierra.

Deputy Sheriff Chas. Swanson of Lake Tahoe was a caller at the Republican office last Friday.

A number of boys around town have been having a lot of fun with their dogs harnessed up to pull their sleds up and down the streets

A. P. Leitch, local manager Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., was a business caller in Reno last Tuesday.

Frances Filipcic has returned to San Francicso after a visit at the home of her parents.

With the exception of the closing of the Bank of America, Lincoln's Birthday passed unobserved in Truckee. All the stores remained open all day, and business went on very much the same as usual.

Dr. Arthur Cozzalio of San Francisco has been enjoying a vacation in Truckee, and enjoying the snow sports.

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Joe Passinetti, who was painfully injured while making a chemical test at the Truckee High School, is getting on nicely.

William Englehart has returned to town from a trip to Nevada City and Sacramento.

C. Edmunds, manager Truckee Public Utility, has returned from a trip to Los Angeles, where he attended the California State Ski Meet held at Big Bear Lake.

There was no weekly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last Monday on account of Lincoln's Birthday, and several of the member being out of town.

Deputy Collector Charles Dapper of the International Revenue Service of San Francisco, was at the Sierra Tavern last Monday to assist taxpayers in preparing their income tax returns.

Mrs. George Kamp and son left on Sunday evening for a months visit in Topeka, Kansas.

Mrs William David of Reno has been the guest of Mrs. C. Edmunds while her husband, who is secretary of the California Ski Association, has been attending the annual meeting at Big Bear Lake.

Joe Bick, former agent, has returned and on Sunday was on duty at the ticket office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B Polyanich were callers in Reno on Friday.

Andy Danielson of Fallon is employed at the Truckee Meat Market

Dan Smith and Bob Zellman spent the week end in Loyalton.

Miss Alice Dulion spent the week end as the guest of her sister in Oakland.

Robert J. McPherson, formerly with the Alta California, Inc., and who addressed the Chamber of Commerce last summer, is now connected with the Askus Information System Inc. at Sacramento. Mr. McPherson invites inquiries from all those interested in tourist publicity work.

Anna Zorich and Frances Filipcic were the guests of Amelia Zorich at the sorority dance of Pi Beta Phi which was given at the Century Club in Reno.

The Wyethia Club will hold an all day sewing bee at the clubhouse on March 10th at which time all members are asked to come and bring thimble and needle. The sewing will begin at 10:30 and lunch will be served at noon. It is hoped at this time to assemble and complete the bedspread the members have been working on. It is urged that all members make a special effort to attend.

Don't forget the Lions Club Dance in the Masonic Hall on Saturday evening. This is an open house affair and everyone in the community is invited to come and have a good time.

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